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The Star's Platform

CITY

Apply the revenues of the municipal power plant to develop the material and social resources of Hope.

Improve city government in 1931, and improved sanitary conditions in the city and business back-yards.

Support the Chamber of Commerce.

COUNTY

County highway program providing for the construction of a certain amount of all-weather road each year, to gradually reduce the dirt-road mileage.

Political and economic support for every scientific agricultural program which offers practical benefits to Hempstead county's greatest industry.

Encourage farmer organizations, believing that co-operative effort is as practical in the country as it is in town.

STATE

Continued progress on the state highway program.

Efficient tax reform, and a more efficient government through the budget system of expenditures.

Keep Arkansas from its cattle tick.

Who Is Responsible?

WHETHER due to a misunderstanding or deliberate refusal of the Quorum Court failed to appropriate expense money for the Hope Municipal Court—and Municipal Judge U. A. Gentry has entered suit against the county.

The law permitting the establishment of municipal courts contemplated that they would take the place of police courts and justice of the peace trials in cities where the volume of legal business warranted the employment of a recognized attorney as judge.

The law continued to return to both city and county governments just those revenues which their respective officers produced by bringing offenders before the new court. At the same time, the law compelled the city and county to share the expense of the new court—which in view of the division of revenue was to be expected.

It is a significant fact that while the Quorum Court refused to vote an appropriation for the Municipal Court, it reduced the appropriation for justice of the peace trials from \$2,000 to \$1,000.

It is reported that of last year's \$2,000 appropriation, nearly \$1,500 was consumed by justice trials in DeRoan township—the justices whom the Municipal Court has now replaced.

Therefore it would seem that although the Quorum Court may have voted without knowledge of the law, the budget for justice of the peace trials was skillfully drawn to take advantage of the saving provided by the Hope Municipal Court.

We may suppose that when this saving had been forced through the budget, the members of the Quorum Court were then advised to vote against the Municipal Court appropriation—perhaps someone decided it would be just as well to leave the justices "holding the bag" in case the county couldn't get away with its "mooning" policy.

What is likely to happen is this: The higher courts will order the Quorum Court into special session and compel it to appropriate for the Municipal Court. You can't pocket \$1,000 in expense money and expect to get away with the same amount of revenue while someone else covers your share of the expense.

The Quorum Court didn't understand. Neither would you nor I, unless someone looked up the law and told you. Someone is supposed to advise the Quorum Court regarding the law.

As matters rest now, Hempstead county stands a right good chance of paying out another lawyers' fee, court costs, the expense of a special session of the Quorum Court, and the full amount of the bill to boot.

Some day *The Star* is going to look up the amount that law fees have cost this county. At the present rate it is going to make good reading.

Faith in Humanity

CIVILIZATION, says Professor Kenneth S. Latourette of Yale, may be on the verge of a new "dark ages." Within a few years, or even a few months, he says, society may collapse and its fragments may be drawn into a whirlpool of misery and chaos unparalleled in modern history.

What makes his prediction so ominous is the fact that this scholar is not alone in his pessimism. Some of the wisest men of our time, looking to the future, can see nothing but disaster. Any thinking man must have moments in which everything ahead seems exceedingly gloomy.

The only comfort is that things are hardly ever quite as bad as they seem. Human beings, somehow, have a way of seeing destruction lying in wait just around the corner. They also, without realizing it, have a way of muddling through, a way of surviving when survival seems highly improbable.

And one reason why the darkest prophecies so seldom come true is probably that most of us, deep in our hearts, do not really believe in them. Deeply embedded in man's consciousness, illogical but enduring, is the unspoken conviction that he is on earth, as the phrase used to go, for a purpose; that he is slowly and painfully moving upward, and will continue to do so, not because he is wise and far-seeing but simply because he is riding a current that wells up from the very fountainhead of the universe.

We seldom talk about that feeling. It is seldom expressed in public speeches, in newspaper articles, in books or in magazines—and, when it is, the intellectuals promptly laugh it to scorn. Yet the feeling persists. No age has entirely lacked it. We are confident of our destiny.

And the confidence, in its turn, breeds courage; the courage which enables the race to live through its world wars, its financial breakdowns, its disillusionments and its balky gas-trains. The physics may lie just ahead, but beyond it there is a new slope to surmount, on which the light will be clearer.

That, or something like it, is what most of us believe. We may be wrong—but the belief at least keeps us from panic.

The Leaning Tower!



A LITTLE MORE BEARING DOWN, BOYS, AND YOU'VE GOT IT!

Rent It! Find It!
 Buy It! Sell It!

With

HOPE STAR WANT ADS

The more you tell,
 The quicker you sell.

- 1 insertion, 10c per line, minimum 30c
- 3 insertions, 7c per line, minimum 50c
- 6 insertions, 6c per line, minimum \$1.00
- 26 insertions, 5c per line, minimum \$4.00

(Average 5 1/2 words to the line)

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FOR RENT

FOR RENT—Furnished 4 room apartment, private bath. Phone 576. 23-6tp

FOR RENT—Nicely furnished apartment with adjoining bath. Bills paid. Garage. 704 South Main street. 23-3tc

FOR RENT—Furnished rooms, close in. 404 East Third street. 21-3tp

FOR SALE OR TRADE—Strawberry plants, Klondike variety. Mrs. H. B. Smith, Highway 23. 3tp

LOST—White gold Elgin Wristwatch Black and white facing with black and white link bracelet. Reward. Return to Hope Star. 23-3t

LOST

LOST—Moon stone pin, on east side of Hope Post Office. Please return to Hope Star. 23-3tp

Lost—Key ring and keys, with name plate M. S. BATES, Washington, Ark. Reward. Return to Hope Star. 21-3tc

LOST—Strayer or Stolen—Small Walker hound, white and black spots. Reward for return. Collar with name, "Wall Gwin." Phone 840. 20-3tc

LOST—Black leather purse, zip closing, Monday night at Methodist church or between church and Citizens bank. Return to Hope Star. 3t

WANTED

HELP WANTED—"Sell Pecan Trees, 50% commission and free trees for next 30 days. Write Stewart Pecan Co., Valdosta, Ga." 20-3t

NOTICE

NOTICE—You'll miss the best if you don't take that business course at the Four States Commercial College at Texarkana. We accept cotton at 8c pound. Write for particulars, etc. J. W. Hill, mgr. 24-6t

SWAP

SWAP—Good as new Buckeye incubator, 110 egg size; for phonograph. Also hand peanut sheller for saddle. J. M. Calhoun. Route 1, Hope. 21-3t

SWAP—Klondike or excelsior plants for what have you? Phone 553. Mrs. A. R. Whitlow. South Main at city limits. 21-3t

WANTED

Sweet Gum and Red Gum

Blocks and Logs

Delivered to this Mill Yard.

For prices and specifications, apply

Hope Heading Co.

Phone 245

Hope, Arkansas

Lost Prairie

Luther Sutton, children and Tom Vickers made a business trip to Garland City, Monday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Anderson and children of Texarkana, visited Mr. and

Mrs. W. T. Vickers Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Cornelius of Battle Field are visiting relatives at this place.

Vernard Vickers spent Saturday night and Sunday with his cousin, Stacy Wilson of near Garland City. The church and dinner on the

ground at this place Sunday was enjoyed by a large crowd.

Mr. and Mrs. Luther Sutton, children, and Mrs. J. H. Atkins were shopping in Texarkana, Friday.

Do You Remember?

TWENTY-FIVE YEARS AGO

Mrs. K. G. McRee has been visiting relatives in Little Rock this week.

With the Arkadelphia football team Thanksgiving Day were: Earl Golden, Forrest Rutledge, Jesse Cannon, Frank Williams, Claude Murray, Frank Finger, Charlie Wallis, Arthur Carter, Bennie Graves, Ed. Brown, Howard Cargile, Yollie Parsons, Milton Cannon and Prof. W. A. Crawford.

TEN YEARS AGO

Miss Helen Hunter will visit with friends at Arkadelphia over Thanksgiving, attending the annual football game between Henderson-Brown and Ouachita.

Ralph Routon, C. F. Routon, Chas. Routon, Jr., Arch Moore, E. McKelvie, E. P. Stewart and Dr. E. Y. Cloud were among those who spent Thanksgiving Day hunting ducks on Grassy Lake.

Jim Reed was in town from his farm four miles north of Hope this morning.

Esbridge Knighton and Charlie Taylor attended the football game at Arkadelphia yesterday.

Lake Greene, connected with the claim department of the Missouri Pacific at St. Louis, arrived yesterday to join Mrs. Greene on a visit with relatives in Hope.

No More Dirigibles

LONDON.—Drastic economy measures have caused England to abandon all hopes of constructing more dirigibles and to announce that the R-100, its largest, will be disposed of in the interests of economy. This is the ship which made the successful flight to Canada and back.

BARBS

A Minnesota man, arrested under a bed, said he was "looking for a former sweetheart." Probably thought he'd find her wandering around under there.

Franklin D. Roosevelt and Newton D. Baker seem to have the inside track as Democratic presidential possibilities. But "Alfalfa Bill" Murray still has a show.

Soccer is the most popular international sport. Looks like it ought to be sockin'.

But unless La Belle France becomes more agreeable, the world will probably soccer.

Laughter shook the rafters in a courtroom when Eddie Carlor testified. Nearly brought the house down.

With King Carol, Queen Marie Prince Nicholas or Princess Elena making page one every day, looks like California's press agents are little potatoes beside Rumania's.

Don't Neglect Your Kidneys!

Head Promptly Kidney and Bladder Irregularities

IF bothered with bladder irregularities, nagging back-ache and a tired, nervous, depressed feeling due to disordered kidney action or bladder irritation, don't delay.

Users everywhere rely on Doan's Pills. Praised for more than 50 years. Recommended the country over.

Doan's Pills

A Diuretic for the Kidneys



"I play safe by sticking to LUCKIES"

"I can't afford to take chances with my voice. So I play safe by sticking to Luckies—they're always kind to my throat. And I'm doubly grateful for your improved Cellophane wrapper which opens so easily with that clever little tab."

Mary Astor



Lovely woman and richly endowed actress, Mary Astor has come into her own as one of Hollywood's truly great. Forgotten the roles that were hers in silent days—now she's doing big things grandly! "Smart Woman," a Radio Picture, is her latest.

*Is Miss Astor's Statement Paid For?

You may be interested in knowing that not one cent was paid to Miss Astor to make the above statement. Miss Astor has been a smoker of LUCKY STRIKE cigarettes for over a year. We hope the publicity herewith given will be as beneficial to her and to Radio Pictures, her producers, as her endorsement of LUCKIES is to you and to us.



Made of the finest tobaccos—
 The Cream of many Crops—LUCKY STRIKE alone offers the throat protection of the exclusive "TOASTING" Process which includes the use of modern Ultra Violet Rays—the process that expels certain harsh, biting irritants naturally present in every tobacco leaf. These expelled irritants are not present in your LUCKY STRIKE. "They're out—so they can't be in!" No wonder LUCKIES are always kind to your throat.

"It's toasted"

Your Throat Protection—against irritation—against cough

And Moisture-Proof Cellophane Keeps that "Toasted" Flavor Ever Fresh

TUNE IN ON LUCKY STRIKE! 60 modern minutes with the world's finest dance orchestras, and Walter Winchell, whose gossip of today becomes the news of tomorrow, every Tuesday, Thursday and Saturday evening over N.B.C. networks.

Cap. 1931.
 The American Tobacco Co.

MOISTURE-PROOF CELLOPHANE

Sealed Tight—Ever Right
 The Unique Humidor Package
 Zip—And it's open!




See the new notched tab on the top of the package. Hold down one half with your thumb. Tear off the other half. Simple. Quick. Zip! That's all. Unique! Wrapped in dust-proof, moisture-proof, germ-proof Cellophane. Clean, protected, neat, FRESH!—what could be more modern than LUCKIES' improved Humidor package—so easy to open! Ladies—the LUCKY TAB is—your finger nail protection.

day is now playing at the
Myrna Loy and Robert Montgomery
Halliday's life and love story is
trayed by Greer Garson.
Lowe gives what the review
theatre is the best performance

a suave and debonair family man aboard the S. S. Transatlantic, to escape the clutches of the statistics, to sail the ocean greyhound docks at its European port things begin to happen rapidly, and not only to Lowe, but to his fellow passengers who include Lois Moran as the daughter of a German lens grinder, impersonated by Jean Hersholt, and an absconding banker, played by John Halliday, whose nefarious operations have cost Hersholt his life savings.

**FRIEND SAYS
TRY CARD**

WHAT NEXT?



THEFT to a burglar is a serious profession. Sentiment!

So and so's home is the one picked for a visit to-night — maybe it will be your home

A burglary insurance policy is positive security against financial loss at least.

Roy Anderson & Co.
Phone 810

Hope, Arkansas

stores. 

Falling Hair

Don't neglect your hair! Shampoo regularly—and use a good hair tonic.

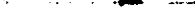

GOOD BRANDS TO USE

Fitch Shampoo (with Fitch Hair Tonic Free)	75c
Packer's Tar Shampoo	50c
Vaseline Hair Tonic	40c

(Large Bottle 70c)

Jno. P. Cox Drug Co.
Phone 84 * We Give Eagle Stamps

Cold Weather Is Coming!



Radiant Living Room Heaters

A beautiful heater that would add to the attractiveness of any room. Scientifically built to give maximum heat with minimum gas. For

radiant models, with andirons, which were as high as \$35.00 a few years ago, now

\$14.50 up

Russen Burners

Asbestos back Gunsen Gurners, the kind that burn all the gas without leaving fumes, as low as

\$4.00 up
A large assortment of bathroom heaters in colors.

Hope Furniture Co.
CALL FIVE

BEWARE THE COUGH OR COLD THAT HANGS ON

Persistent coughs and colds lead to serious trouble. You can stop them now with Creomulsion, an emulsified creosote that is pleasant to take. Creomulsion is a new medical discovery with two-fold action; it soothes and heals the inflamed membranes and inhibits germ growth.

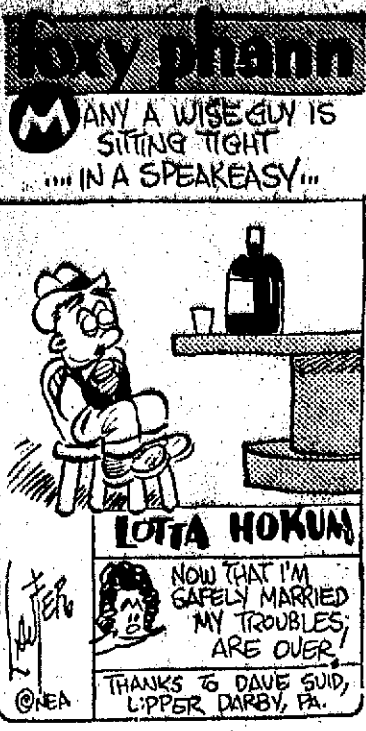
Of all known drugs, creosote is recognized by high medical authorities as one of the greatest healing agencies for persistent coughs and colds and other forms of throat troubles. Creomulsion contains, in addition to creosote, other healing elements which soothe and heal the infected

membranes and stop the irritation and inflammation, while the creosote goes on to the stomach, is absorbed into the blood, attacks the seat of the trouble and checks the growth of the germs.

Creomulsion is guaranteed satisfactory in the treatment of persistent coughs and colds, bronchial asthma, bronchitis and other forms of respiratory diseases, and is excellent for building up the system after colds or flu. Money refunded if any cough or cold, no matter of how long standing, is not relieved after taking according to directions. Ask your druggist. (adv.)

CREOMULSION

FOR THE COUGH OR COLD THAT HANGS ON



OUR BOARDING HOUSE

By Ahern

OUT OUR WAY

By Williams



SIDE GLANCES

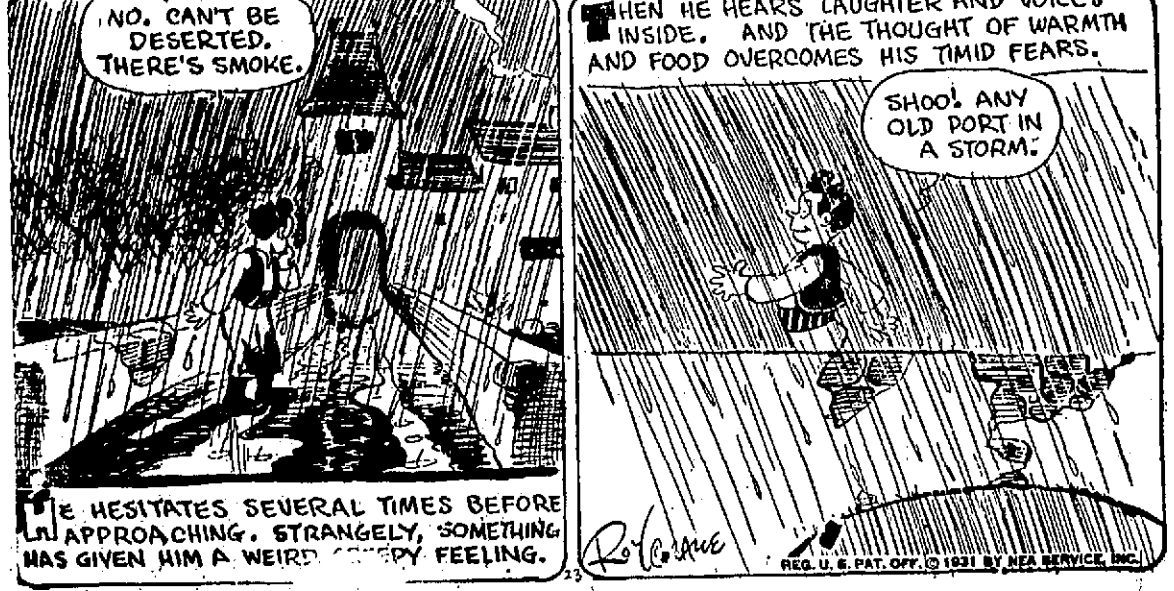
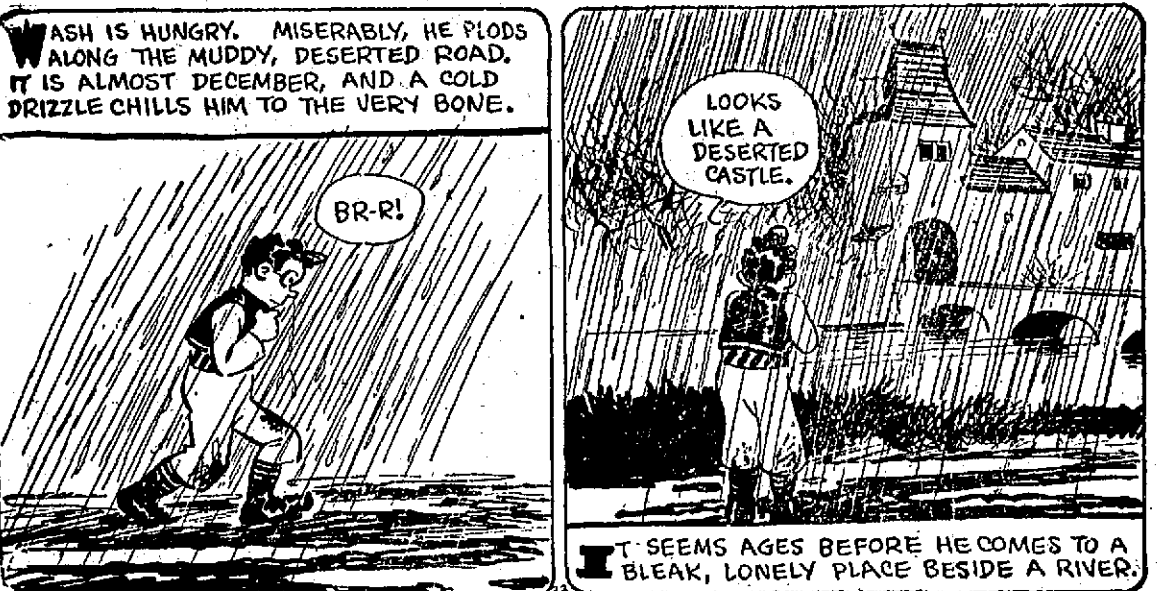
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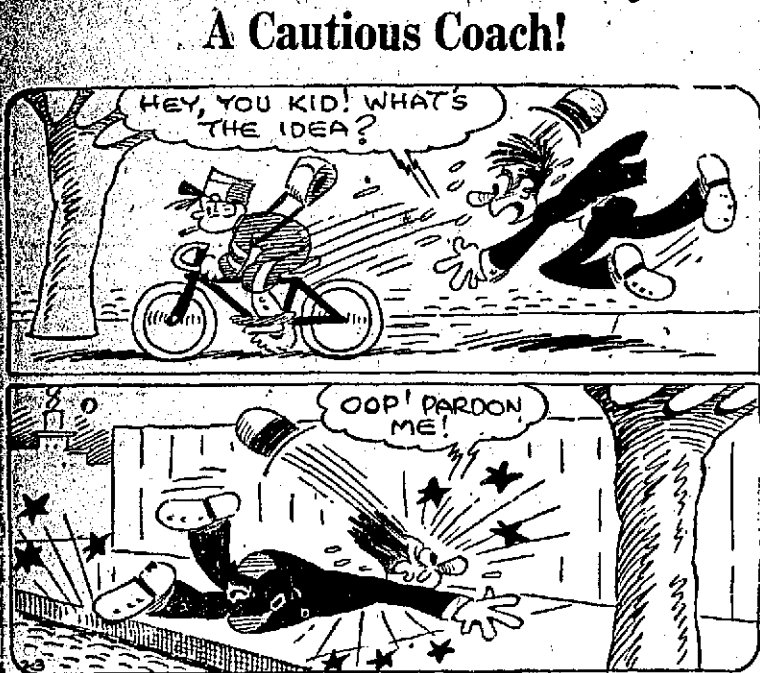
A Refuge?

By Crane



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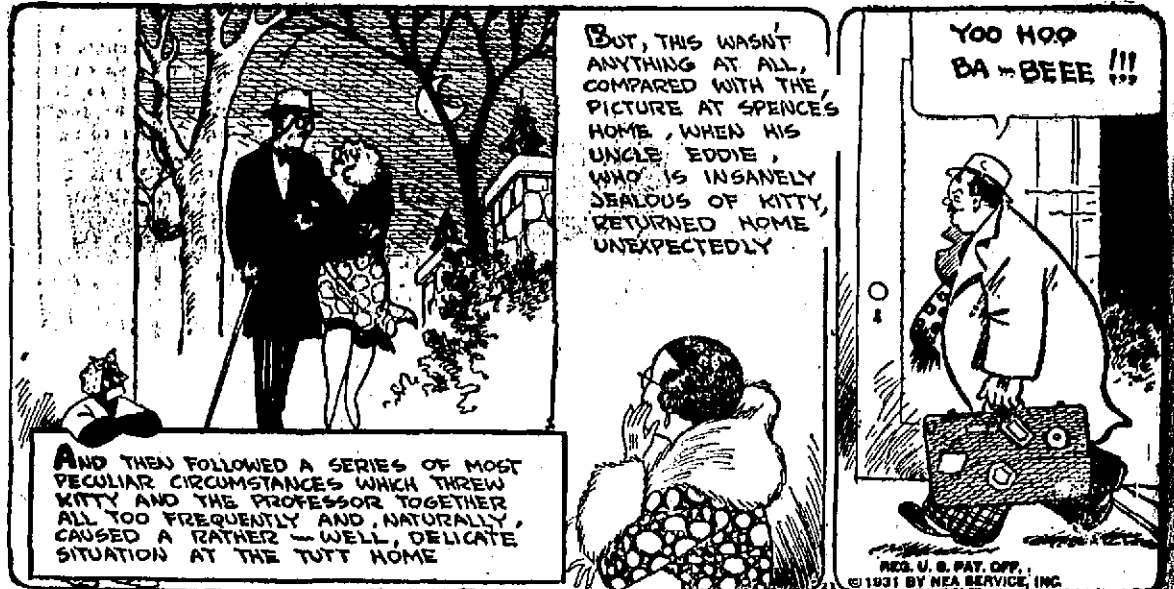
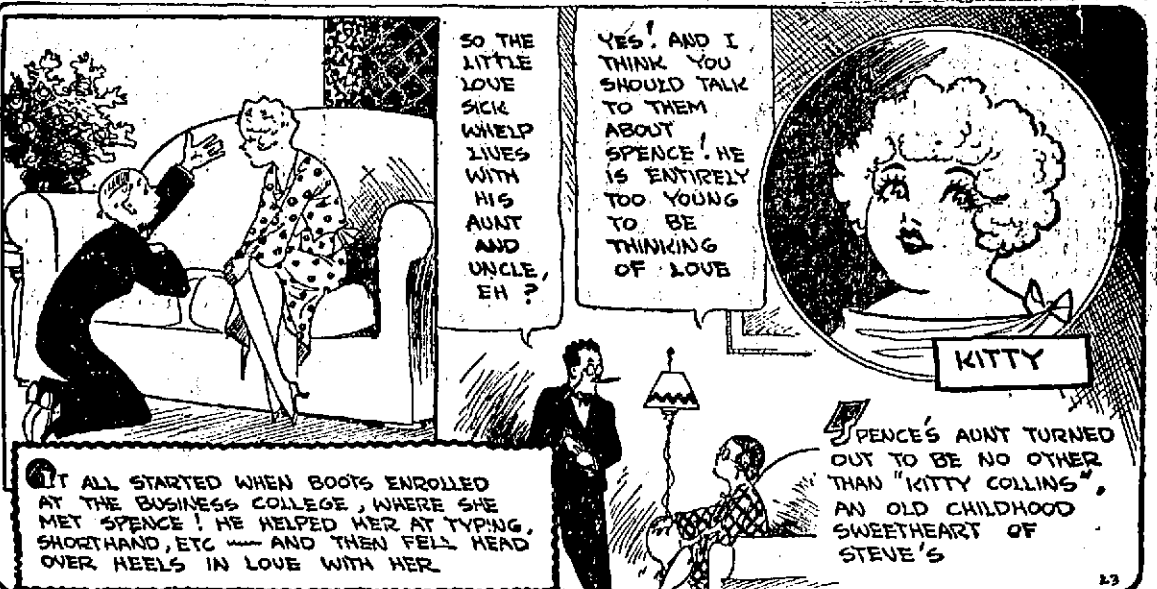
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BOOTS AND HER BUDDIES

All About It!

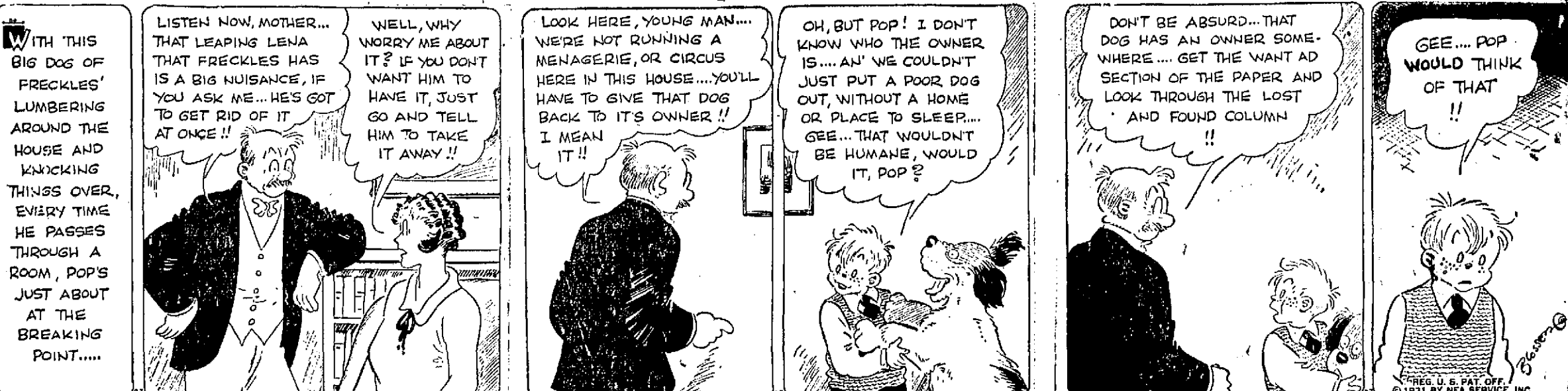
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FRECKLES AND HIS FRIENDS

Pop's Serious!

By Blosser



THE NEWFANGLES (Mom'n Pop)

Getting a Line

By Cowan

